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SUBJECT: CABINET TASK FORCE ON QUESTIONABLE PAYMENTS ABROAD:
FOREIGN LAWS ON QUESTIONABLE PAYMENTS.

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1. OF POSSIBLE INTEREST IN CONNECTION WITH WORK OF CABINET
TASK FORCE ON QUESTIONABLE PAYMENTS ABROAD, ARTICLES 100
AND 101 OF THE UN CHARTER CONCERN THE INTERGRITY OF UN MEMBER
STATES AND OF THE UN INTERNATIONAL STAFF.

(A) UNDER ARTICLE 100, PARA 2, MEMBER STATES "UNDER-
TAKE" "NOT TO SEEK TO INFLUENCE"THE SECRETARY GENERAL
AND HIS STAFF IN DISCHARGE OF THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES .

(B) ARTICLE 101, PARA 3, STATES IN PART: "THE PARA-
MOUNT CONSIDERATION IN THE EMPLOYMENT OF THE STAFF AND IN
DETERMINATION OF THE CONDITIONS OF SERVICE SHALL BE THE
NECESSITY OF SECURING HIGHEST STANDARDS OF EFFECIENCY,
COMPETENCE AND INTEGRITY..."

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2. THESE CHARTER PRINCIPLES ARE SPELLED OUT IN MORE

DETAIL IN "U.N. STAFF REGULATIONS AND RULES". LATTER SPECIFICALLY PROVIDE THAT NO UN STAFF MEMBER MAY ACCEPT "ANY HONOR, DECORATION, GIFT OR REMUNERATION FROM ANY SOURCE EXTERNAL TO THE ORGANIZATION WITHOUT FIRST OBTAINING THE APPROVAL OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL." ADDITIONALLY, THE "STAFF REGULATIONS AND RULES" ENJOIN AGAINST CONFLICT OF INTEREST SITUATIONS OF A BUSINESS NATURE.
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